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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR
RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

The Office Action issued 18 December 2002 (Paper No. 8) has been reviewed and the comments of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office have been considered. Please reconsider the application in view of the following amendments and the remarks hereinafter.

The period for replying to the Office Action has been extended two months through 19 May 2003, i.e., the next business day following 18 May 2003 (in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.6(a)).

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